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CHAPTER II

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# TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES ELECTED OFFICE (EO/US)

### (ENTRY INTO U.S. NATIONAL PHASE UNDER CHAPTER II)

PCT/EP00/05736	21 June 2000 (21.06.00)	05 July 1999 (05.07.99)	
International Application Number	International Filing Date	International Earliest Priority Date	

TITLE OF INVENTION: Therapeutic Agents APPLICANT(S): Knoll Aktiengesellschaft

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ATTENTION: EO/US

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- 1. Applicant herewith submits to the United States Elected Office (EO/US) the following items under 35 U.S.C. Section 371:
  - a. This express request to immediately begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. Section 371(f)).
  - b. The U.S. National Fee (35 U.S.C. Section 371(c)(1)) and other fees (37 C.F.R. Section 1.492) as indicated below:

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#### 2. Fees

CLAIMS FEE*	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALC- ULATIONS	
	TOTAL CLAIMS	-20 =	24	x \$18.00 =	\$432.00	
	INDEPEN- DENT CLAIMS	2 -3=	9	x \$84.00 =	\$0.00	
	MULTIPLE DEPE	\$280.00				
BASIC FEE	U.S. PTO WAS NOT INTERNATIONAL PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION AUTHORITY Where no international preliminary examination fee as set forth in Section 1.482 has been paid to the U.S. PTO, and payment of an international search fee as set forth in Section 1.445(a)(2) to the U.S. PTO: has not been paid (37 C.F.R. Section 1.492(a)(3))				\$1,040.00	
	Total of above Calculations					
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Subtotal					\$1,752.00	
	Total National Fee					
	Fee for recording the 1.21(h)). See attach	\$0.00				
TOTAL		\$1,752.00				

<sup>\*</sup>See attached Preliminary Amendment Reducing the Number of Claims.

A check in the amount of \$1,752.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

- 3. A translation of the International application into the English language (35 U.S.C. Section 371(c)(2)) is not required as the application was filed in English.
- 4. Amendments to the claims of the International application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. Section 371(c)(3)) are transmitted herewith.
- 5. A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (38 U.S.C. Section 371(c)(3)) has not been transmitted for reasons indicated in section 5.
- 6. A copy of the international examination report (PCT/IPEA/409) is attached..
- 7. An oath or declaration of the inventor (35 U.S.C. Section 371(c)(4)) complying with 35 U.S.C. Section 115 will follow.

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- II. Other document(s) or information included:
- 8. An International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210) or Declaration under PCT Article 17(2)(a) will be transmitted promptly upon request.
- 9. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.97 and 1.98 will be transmitted within THREE MONTHS of the date of submission of requirements under 35 U.S.C. Section 371(c).
- 10. Additional documents:
  - a. International Publication No. WO01/01979

Specification, claims and drawings

- b. Preliminary amendment (37 C.F.R. Section 1.121)
- c. Notification of the Recording of a Change
- 12. The above items are being transmitted before 30 months from any claimed priority date.

## **AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ADDITIONAL FEES**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees that may be required by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No.: 19-4972

37 C.F.R. Section 1.492(a)(1), (2), (3), and (4) (filing fees)

37 C.F.R. Section 1.492(b), (c), and (d) (presentation of extra claims)

37 C.F.R. Section 1.17 (application processing fees)

37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(a)(1)-(5) (extension fees pursuant to Section 1.136(a))

37 C.F.R. Section 1.18 (issue fee at or before mailing of Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. Section 1.311(b)).

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